

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

# The City Of Augusta

## *Proclamation*

*IN RECOGNITION of the “20<sup>th</sup> Annual Augusta Arsenal Spring Shootout Soccer Tournament”*

*WHEREAS, Augusta-Richmond County continues to host a multitude of amateur and professional athletic events to thrill and delight our sports enthusiasts; and*

*WHEREAS, Augusta-Richmond County, Fort Gordon, and Sports Authority are co-hosting the Annual Augusta Arsenal Spring Shootout Tournament, a competition that attracts more than 2,500 soccer players from throughout the South and East; and*

*WHEREAS, this is one of the largest, most prestigious, and exciting tournaments in the southeast that includes approximately 150 teams from six states, representing nine age groups; and*

*WHEREAS, it is fitting that Augusta-Richmond County extend a warm and gracious welcome to the 9,000 participants and spectators of the Augusta Arsenal Spring Shootout Soccer Tournament who are visiting our fine city.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim February 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, 2005, to be “AUGUSTA ARSENAL SPRING SHOOTOUT DAYS” in Augusta-Richmond County, and request all citizens extend a friendly welcome to those visiting our city and express best wishes and much success to the tournament participants.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia, to be affixed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 2005.*

*Bob Young*